SENATE BILL 429 By Haynes

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-108, relative to certain lobbying activities.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 3-6-108, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(j) No member of the general assembly shall for one (1) year from the date of leaving office and no person employed by the legislative branch shall for one (1) year from the date of leaving such employment be permitted to lobby members of the general assembly.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it and shall apply to employees who leave legislative employment after the effective date of this act and to members of the general assembly leaving office after the effective date of this act.